CHAPTER 243

DRAINAGE AND LEVEE DISTRICTS

S. F. 228

AN ACT to amend section four hundred sixty-one point five (461.5), Code 1958, by providing for improvement of drainage and levee districts with pumping stations.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section four hundred sixty-one point five (461.5), Code 1958, is amended by adding a new subsection as follows:

"The board of supervisors or the board of trustees, as the case may be, where the district has been established and the original improvement constructed, may proceed with the further improvement of the original project in the manner provided in section four hundred fifty-five point one hundred thirty-five (455.135) of the Code, provided, however, that the cost of such further improvement does not exceed twenty-five percent of the sum of the original cost to the district and the cost of subsequent improvements, including all federal contributions.

contributions.

"For the purpose of this section the word 'improvement' shall include the construction, reconstruction, enlargement and relocation of

4 levees and acquisition of rights-of-way therefor."

Approved April 12, 1961.

CHAPTER 244

VOTING IN DRAINAGE DISTRICTS

S. F. 355

AN ACT to amend section four hundred sixty-two point thirteen (462.13), Code 1958, relating to voting by agents in drainage or levee districts by providing a method of voting by absentee ballot.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section four hundred sixty-two point thirteen (462.13),

2 Code 1958, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

"The vote of the owner of any land in a drainage or levee district in any election, where the vote is not determined by assessment, may be cast by absent voters' ballot in the same manner and form and

subject to the same rights and restrictions as is provided in section

four hundred sixty-two point twelve (462.12) of the Code relating to vote by absentee ballot when votes are determined by assessment."

Approved May 2, 1961.